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Design	200	100	100	50	130	65			
Plant	200	100	300	150	160	80			
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For: HIGH DENSITY SRAM CELL WITH

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Art Unit: 2822

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COMMENTS ON STATED REASONS FOR ALLOWANCE

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

In response to the Examiner's statement of reasons for allowance set forth in the Notice of Allowance, Applicants make the following comment. As it applies to the claims discussed, applicants generally agree with the Examiner's stated reasons for allowance. However, Applicants believe that additional reasons for patentability exist as well based on limitations and combinations of limitations not commented upon by the Examiner, including limitations found in depending claims.

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